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SUBJECT: NOMINATION FOR THE TYLER AWARD IN ECOLOGY

FOR SCHIFFERDECKER FROM BEHNKE

1. ON JUNE 10, 1974 A DIPLOMATIC NOTE WAS SENT BY THE US EMBASSY TO THE MFA CONCERNING THE TYLER AWARD IN ECOLOGY, A \$150,000 PRIZE GIVEN TO THE INDIVIDUAL(S) "WHO HAS (HAVE) CONFERRED THE GREATEST BENEFIT ON MANKIND IN THE FIELD OF ECOLOGY AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT". THE MFA WAS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT A NOMINEE. THE NOMINEE'S APPLICATION WAS TO BE MAILED TO THE PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY IN MALIBU, CALIFORNIA BY OCTOBER 1.

2. ON OCTOBER 9, THE AMERICAN EMBASSY RECEIVED A DIPLOMATIC NOTE FROM MFA SAYING THAT DR. ABDUL M. DARMANGAR IS AFGHAN NOMINEE AND REQUESTING THAT WE FORWARD HIS APPLICATION TO PEPPERDINE. NOTE MISTAKENLY SENT TO AID AND NOT RECEIVED BY EMBOFF UNTIL OCTOBER 20. APPLICATION NOW 21 DAYS LATE.

3. NOMINEE VISITED EMBASSY OCTOBER 20. HE UPSET BY MFA'S LATE ACTION ON NOMINATION AND WISHES TO QUALIFY DESPITE MISSING DEADLINE.

4. REQUEST DESKOFF CONTACT PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY TO DETERMINE IF AFGHAN NOMINEE STILL ELIGIBLE FOR AWARD. IF ANSWER POSITIVE, ECONOFF WILL POUCH APPLICATION SOONEST.

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